

## Chief of Police Carl Dabadie

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## SEARCHING FOR MURDER SUSPECT

Baton Rouge Police Homicide detectives are attempting to locate HORACE ALEXANDER SMITH, 37, ADDRESS UNKNOWN, for his involvement in the shooting death of Christopher Edwards that occurred on October 23, 2016 around 1:45am outside a nightclub located at 2231 North Foster Dr.

Smith is wanted for  $2^{nd}$  Degree Murder and Felon in Possession of a Firearm and is considered armed and dangerous.

Anyone with information on Smith's whereabouts is urged to contact the Violent Crimes Unit at 389-4869 or Crime Stoppers at 344-7867.

## Original

Baton Rouge Police Detectives are investigating a shooting which occurred today around 1:45am outside The Executive Club, 2231 N. Foster Drive.

CHRISTOPHER EDWARDS, 30 of 3090 Lafiton Lane, Port Allen, LA., died on scene from apparent gunshot injuries to his torso area. A second victim, 35-year-old female, was also struck by the gunfire and was transported to a local hospital with non-life threatening injuries at the time.

Investigators believe that the shooting is a result of a verbal confrontation between EDWARDS and other subjects within the club.

Anyone with any information concerning this on-going investigation is urged to contact the Violent Crimes Unit at 389-4869 or Crime Stoppers at 344-7867.

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